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DEVICE

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C.
371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

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Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)," for the above-identified application, Applicant respectfully submits herewith copies of the Declaration and Assignment, properly executed by the inventors, along with Form PTO-1595. Also, enclosed are an Information Disclosure Statement, International Search Report, Form PTO/SB/08 A & B and the listed references therein.

In the "Notification of Missing Requirements" dated May 1, 2006 for the present application, it is indicated that a previous overpayment of \$250.00 will be applied to the due amount of \$130.00 late declaration fee. However, please note that the \$250.00, which was paid in addition to the \$900.00 filing fee when the application was filed on January 3, 2006, was for

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excess application pages and it is not an overpayment. Thus, checks for the statutory fee of \$130.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. Additionally, the USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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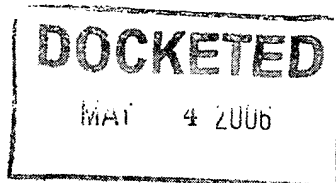


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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/03/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/03/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/03/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/03/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/03/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 01/03/2006
- Non-English Language Application filed on 01/03/2006
- Specification filed on 01/03/2006
- Claims filed on 01/03/2006
- Abstracts filed on 01/03/2006
- Drawings filed on 01/03/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$-120** for a Large Entity:

- **\$430** Surcharge.

(A previous payment of **\$250** will be applied to the additional fees indicated above.)

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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